

Morse Code is a wonderful mode of communications, it is very useful when trying to get a message through when conditions are weak. It is a tangible skill, that should be fostered... But, it is one of dozens of modes, all with distinct advantages and disadvantages to Amateur Radio Operators. While Subbands should be preserved for those knowing the code, the inability to learn the code should not be the measure of an operator's proficiency.

In addition under the American's With Disabilities Act, the refusal to grant qualified individuals access to HF could very well be illegal, and therefore it would be in the best interest of the FCC to fix this oversight before someone pushes the point and costs taxpayers a whole lot of money unnecissarily.